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FM AMEMBASSY JIDDA
TO RUEHC/ SECSTATE WASHDC 3516
INFO USINT ALGIERS
AMEMBASSY AMMAN
AMEMBASSY BEIRUT
USINT CAIRO
AMEMBASSY MANAMA
AMCONSUL DHAHRAN
AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM
AMEMBASSY KUWAIT
AMEMBASSY LONDON
AMEMBASSY RABAT
AMEMBASSY SANAA
AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI
AMEMBASSY TUNIS

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BEIRUT PASS BAGHDAD

KUWAIT PASS ABU DHABI, DOHA, MUSCAT

E. O. 11652: N/ A

TAGS: PFOR, PINS, SA, XF

SUBJ: FATAH REP DELIVERS ARAFAT LETTER TO KING FAISAL

1. NEWS MEDIA MORNING MARCH 20 CARRIED REPORT THAT KING FAISAL PREVIOUS EVENING RECEIVED ABU HISHAM, MEMBER OF REVOLUTIONARY COUNCIL OF FATAH WHO BROUGHT LETTER TO FAISAL FROM YASIR ARAFAT. NO MENTION WAS MADE OF CONTENTS OF LETTER OR OF SUBSTANCE OF ANY DISCUSSIONS THAT MIGHT HAVE OCCURRED BETWEEN KING AND FATAH REPRESENTATIVE.
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2. COMMENT: THIS IS FIRST DIRECT CONTACT BETWEEN FAISAL,
OR ANY RANKING MEMBER OF SAUDI GOVERNMENT, AND FATAH OR
PLO REP SINCE KHARTOUM MURDERS. FACT OF MEETING NOT GIVEN
PARTICULAR PROMINENCE.
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